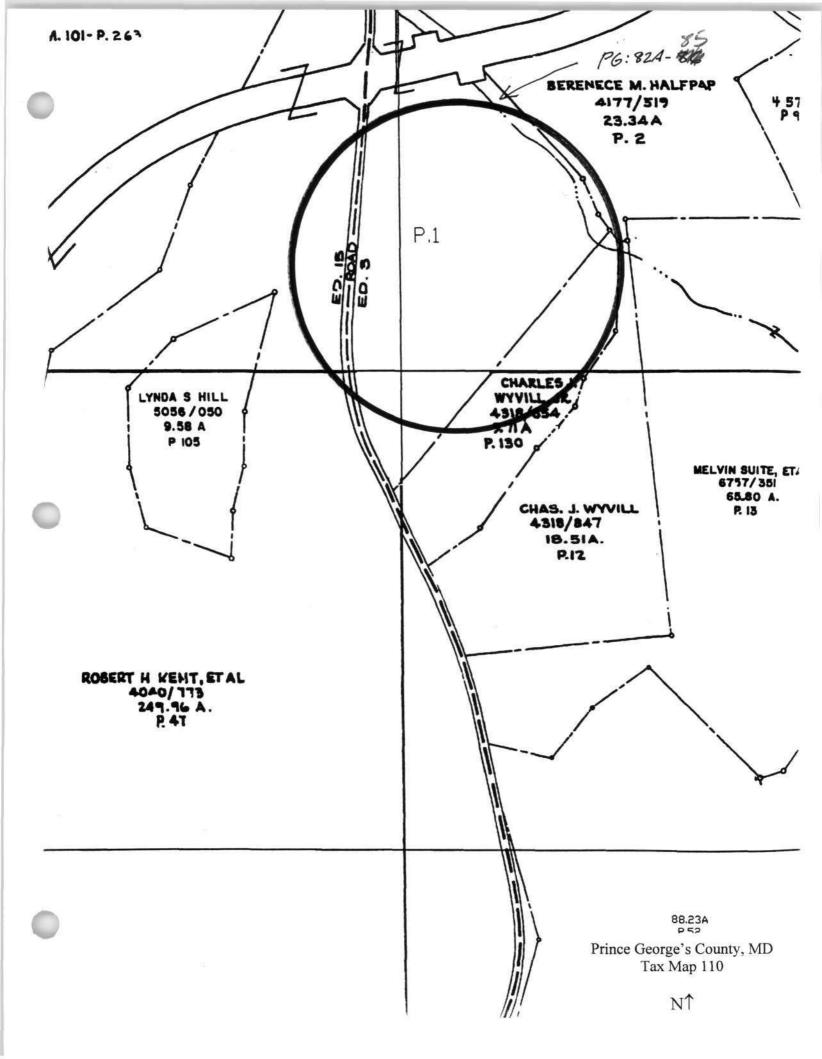
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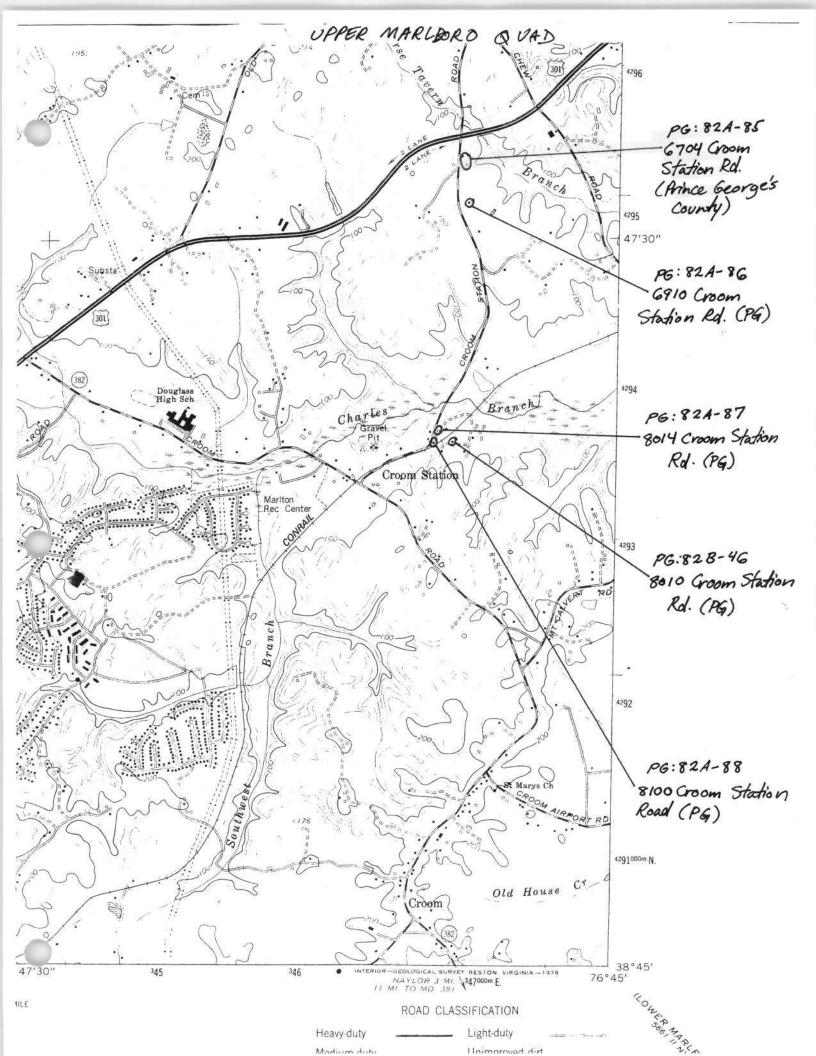
Property Name: Inventory Number PG: 82A-85
Address: 6704 Croom Station Road, Prince George's County - in the Vianty of Upper Market
Owner: Wyvill, Charles Jr & Phyllis E Lucille W. Gwynn
Tax Parcel Number: 130 Tax Map Number: 110
Project MD 301 Agency State Highway Administration (SHA)
Site visit by SHA Staff: X no yes Name: Date:
Eligibility recommended Eligibility not recommended _X
Criteria A B C D
Is property located within a historic district? X no _ yes Name of District:
Is district listed?: X no _ yes
Documentation on the property/district is presented in: Project Review and Compliance Files
Description of Property and Eligibility Determination (Use continuation sheet if necessary and attach map and photo) Located at 6704 Croom Station Road, this wood frame I-house is two stories high and three bays wide. Vernacular in style, this I-house has been completely remodeled. It now features aluminum or vinyl siding, 2/2 horizontal sash windows, a centered entry with a 1-leaf door, and a side gable, asphalt shingle roof. The house is also marked by a one bay entrance porch with square post supports, and a one story, two bay wing on the west side. The house is accompanied on the property by a wood frame barn with vertical boad siding and a gable, standing seam metal roof. Located near Crain Highway and the Baltimore and Potomac rail line, this house reflects patterns of late-19th century development in southern Maryland. Following the Civil War, southern Maryland adjusted to shifts in economic activity and population centers. Railroads made the greatest impact upon community development in this period, particularly the completion of the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad's (B & P) main line from Bowie In Prince George's County to Pope's Creek in Charles County in 1872. The opening of the railroad revitalized the practice of agriculture in southern Maryland. Beginning in 1873, the railroad operated a freight train to Baltimore once a week to carry local produce. In the 1880s, land values in southern Maryland rose rapidly in response to increased profits Prepared by EHT Traceries, Inc.
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from agriculture. The Baltimore and Potomac Railroad, therefore, was responsible for agricultural prosperity in southern Maryland during the 19th and 20th centuries.

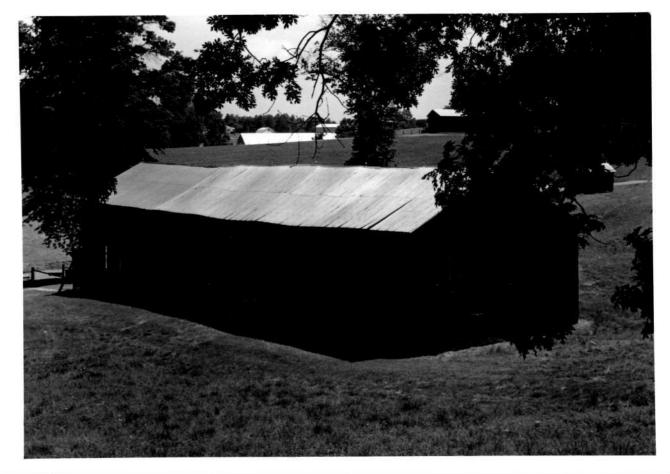
This c. 1900 structure is not eligible for the National Register. It lacks significance related to events, persons or architecture. Criterion D, information potential, was not assessed for this study.







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